



Zippy Zoom!



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MUSIC: Pink Floyd - Learning to Fly

Can I have one of these (<https://www.livejournal.com/away?to=http%3A//www.dailycamera.com/news/2008/may/15/swiss-man-soars-above-alps-jet-powered-wing/>) for Christmas?

Yves Rossy The Swiss Jet Man / Fusion Man...



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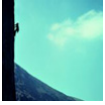


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Mini-avion!




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Is that a yes???



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I think we should all get them, and retire the Gulfstream. Imagine us swooping down on the local copshop like the freakin' Justice League.



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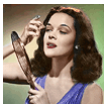
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We'd need colorful costumes.

Oh, man.

We need to do this.



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We'd need colorful costumes.

You want dibs on Pink Ranger? *g*



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Why do I have to be Mr. Pink?



 [dremiel](#)

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Because you, my dear, would pull it off with such elan.




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You'll have to get it out of your allowance. Mine runs more to socks. *g*



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Aww.

I bet the wings help with tracking.



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It has flaps and everything. Wonder if you need to know how to fly an actual plane?




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It probably wouldn't hurt. But how hard can it be?



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I'd say "famous last words," but I'd hate to have that come true. You maniac.

"Hold my beer and watch this," indeed. *g*



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How is it possibly for one thing to be simultaneously *that cool* and *that terrifying*?

If you do get one for Christmas, please don't inform me. I'll spend the rest of my life convinced your engine's about to fall off.



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Possible, that is.

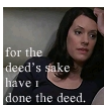


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If the engine falls off, you have a canopy!



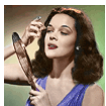
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True. It's probably not all *that* much more dangerous than the illegal things you haven't done.

Plus, it's practically a jet pack! And that's almost cool enough to make up for the ohmygodthat'sreallyhigh factor.



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...your engine's about to fall off.

OH NOES! Another blues euphemism!



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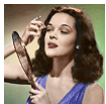
And not about food!!! We're branching out.



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Oh now the spousal unit is drooling. Thanks a lot.



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Hey, not on the keyboard!



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OMG! want! Waaaaaaay cool.



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Very high, very fast, very want.



[sprrwhwk](#)

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The bit in the video? Where he jumps out of the plane and the music just cuts out completely? *Totally freaked me out.* o_O

Fucking awesome.



 [trollcatz](#)

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Me, too! Me, too! I was all Gah!



 [izzylobo](#)

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OMG! This is where the video goes all horrible, and turns into a creepy expression of neo-luddism about how some things are just too cool (or stupid) to be allowed on this Earth, and the guy's chute fails and he dies a horri... oh. good. music. and jet plumes. whew.

yeah. me too.

I'm waiting for one that lets me take off from a standing position, and return (and gives me more than a 45 second run, unlike currently available rocketpacks). Alas, I suspect not in my lifetime. But a jet-extended parachute/flying pack is still **pretty damn cool**.

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Yeah, that's something I wouldn't think you'd trust to a pushbutton or remote system. Just another thing that might fail. Wish we could have seen video on the wing deployment in the air.

 [sleary](#)

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It's not as sexy as a mini-avion by any stretch, but you *can* have a [calorie-tracking site that's easier to use than FitDay](#), if you like. :)

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